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Jocelyn Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk and Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, SC 29210

RE:

Allowable Ex Parte Briefing for United Utility Companies, Inc.

Docket No. ND-2011-9-WS

Dear Ms. Boyd:

This firm has been associated by the Terreni Law Firm to represent United Utility Companies, Inc ("United") with respect to an allowable ex parte briefing scheduled for June 7, 2011. Because United is desirous of providing the Public Service Commission a thorough and complete response to its request for a briefing, I would respectfully request that the above matter be rescheduled so as to permit United an opportunity to fully prepare for its briefing. Ms. Lisa Sparrow, President and CEO of Utilities, Inc., United's parent company, will be participating in this matter, and Ms. Sparrow is unavailable until July 1, 2011.

Accordingly, I would respectfully request that the Public Service Commission reschedule the allowable ex parte briefing in the above. If counsel or you have questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Elliott & Elliott, P.A.

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